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MEMORANDUM FOR: Special Support Assistant to the  
Deputy Director (Support)

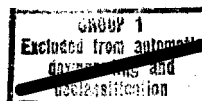
SUBJECT : Home Leave

1. As you know, the Overseas Differentials and Allowances Act, enacted 6 September 1960, for the first time made available to this Agency, as well as to the Government generally, a home leave entitlement. Prior to that time only Foreign Service (FS) personnel received home leave not chargeable against annual leave. However, the home leave now available to this Agency and the Government differs from that available to the FS in that the latter may be granted to the FS employee after 18 months' service and must be granted within 36 months' service abroad. CIA home leave may not be granted until 24 months' service outside the United States. (For this purpose, the United States includes Alaska and Hawaii.) This change in law, together with the complications resulting from the fact that much of our service abroad [redacted], has raised a number of questions concerning home leave and has resulted in recent support bulletins [redacted] and actions based on them, which, it appears, have caused some confusion.

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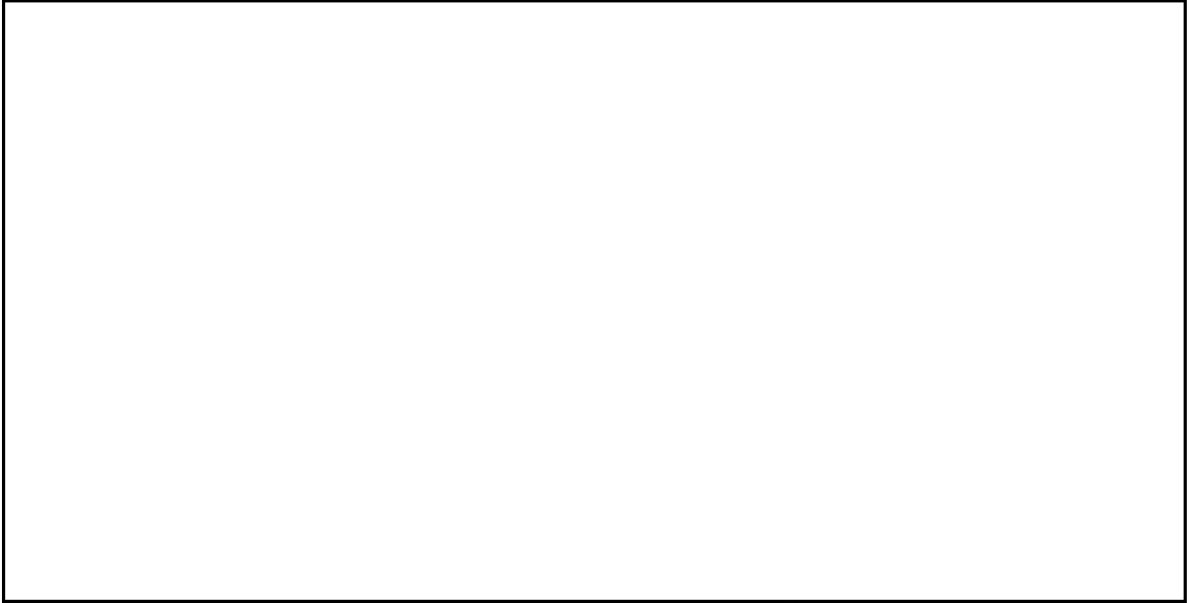
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